

PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q79195

Hiroyuki KOMAZAWA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/743,832

Group Art Unit: 1651

Confirmation No.: 1128

Examiner: Irene MARX

Filed: December 24, 2003

For:

A MICROORGANISM HAVING AN ABILITY OF PRODUCING

DOCOSAHEXAENOIC ACID AND USE THEREOF

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This responds to the Restriction Requirement, dated June 22, 2006. In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-2 for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to file Divisional Applications directed to non-elected claims 3-18.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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